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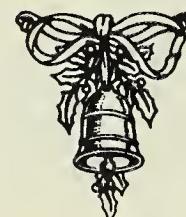
(Harp)

# Softly The Stars Were Shining

## A CHRISTMAS CAROL

FOR

SOPRANO AND ALTO



MUSIC BY

Adolf Torovsky

# Softly The Stars Were Shining

Slowly

Voice 5  
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1954 1. With echo (not in chords)  
2. Straight through  
3. Intro (2 bars) only

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1. Soft - ly the stars were shin - ing,  
2. Shep - herds drew near to see Him,  
3. Dear lit - tle Ba - by Je - sus,

pp Echo 1<sup>st</sup> time

Echo

Shin-ing with gold-en ray, Ov - er the Ba - by;  
Low in His man-ger bed; Glo ry and won-drous;  
Come to our hearts we pray; May we be pure and

D 7 G 7

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Je - sus Cra - dled up - on the hay.  
bright ness Gath - ered a - bout His head.  
lov - ing Make us like Thee to day.

ECHO

ECHO

Chorus

G<sub>b</sub>

Soft-ly the Babe was sleep - ing, An-gels their watch were keep. - ing;

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NO ECHO IN CHORUS

G<sub>b</sub>  
D<sub>b</sub> — b

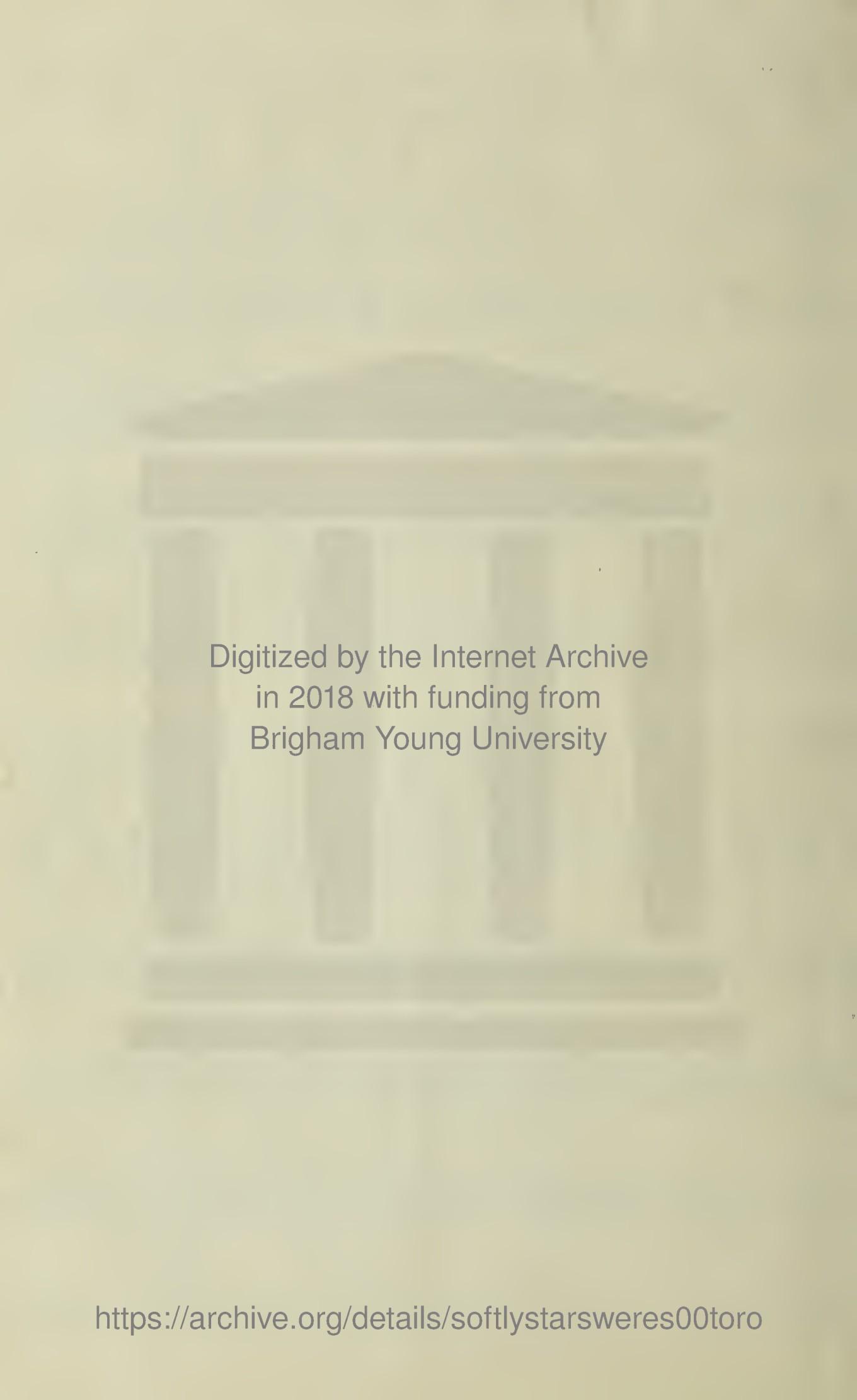
Calm and se-cure, ten-der and pure, Je-sus the Ho- ly child.

poco rit.

G<sub>b</sub>  
C<sub>b</sub> — b

F<sub>b</sub>

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